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TO AMEMBASSY GUATEMALA IMMEDIATE

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FROM BELT FOR ANDREWS

FOLLOWING REPEAT MERIDA 0004 ACTION SECSTATE INFO MEXICO  
8 JAN 77

QUOTE UNCLAS MERIDA 0004

E. O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: CDES (MELOY, DANIEL)

SUBJECT: DEATH: DANIEL MELOY-RETIRED FSO

REF: TELCON MERIDA WITH OPS CENTER PFOTENHAUER

1. MELOY, BROTHER OF LATE AMBASSADOR FRANK MELOY, AND  
REPORTEDLY A RETIRED FOREIGN SERVICE OFFICER, DROWNED  
LATE THIS AFTERNOON WHILE SWIMMING AT ISLA MUJERES.

2. PLEASE IMMEDIATELY CONTACT GENERAL CONRAD PHILOS,  
TELEPHONE 703-938-7025, ATTORNEY FOR FAMILY. ADVISE  
APPROXIMATELY US 2,000 REQUIRED FOR PREPARATION BODY,  
CASKET AND SHIPMENT TO WASHINGTON DC. FUNDS SHOULD  
BE SENT IMMEDIATELY VIA WESTERN UNION CARE OF WILLIAM  
GODFREY, SALES MANAGER, HOTEL CAMINO REAL, CAN CUN,  
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QUINTANA ROO, MEXICO. DO NOT SEND BANK DRAFTS SINCE  
THESE TAKE TWO OR THREE WEEKS.

3. MELOY'S TRAVELING COMPANION, PATRICK NILAND, WILL  
TAKE CARE OF ARRANGEMENTS SHIPMENT OF BODY. GENERAL PHILO'S  
PRESENCE NOT NECESSARY.

4. GEORGE ANDREWS, DCM IN GUATEMALA, GOOD FRIEND OF FAMILY, HAS ADVISED CONSULATE THAT ONLY CLOSE RELATIVES ARE FOUR COUSINS, TWO OF WHOM LIVE IN WASHINGTON, DC AREA. THEY ARE:

A. THOMAS MELOY, SHOREHAM WEST, L-105, 2700 CALVERT STREET, NW, WASH., DC, AND

B. MISS EMILY NOURSE STEUART, 3058 R STREET, N.W.

5. ANDREWS ADVISES THAT ABOVE TWO SHOULD BE NOTIFIED.

6. PLEASE HAVE GENERAL PHILOS ADVISE CONSULATE NAME AND ADDRESS OF FUNERAL HOME TO WHICH REMAINS ARE TO BE SENT. CONSULATE WILL ADVISE PHILOS OF ARRIVAL DATA.

7. PLEASE DISTRIBUTE TO NEA AND ARA/CEN.

8. THE TELEPHONES IN MERIDA TEMPORARILY OUT OF ORDER WHICH IS REASON FOR THIS MESSAGE.

9. FOR SCS: PLEASE ARRANGE ANY COURTESIES OR BENEFITS TO WHICH MELOY MAY BE ENTITLED.  
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